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DATE FILED: June 21, 2001 EXAMINER:  
INVENTION: **"PRINTING METHODS WHICH ARE DEPENDENT ON  
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AND CORRESPONDING PRINTING DEVICES"**

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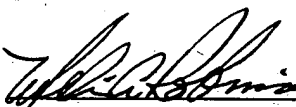
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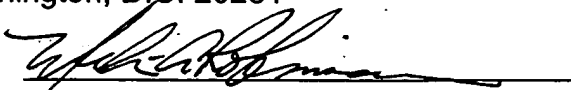
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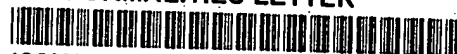
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